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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (Case No. 03-284-E)

In the Application of:)
Costa et al.) Before the Examiner:
Serial No. 10/809,144) Halvorson, M.
Filing Date: March 25, 2004) Group Art Unit: 1642
For: Methods of Inhibiting Tumor Cell Proliferation) Confirmation No.: 7397

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED JUNE 23, 2008

Mail Stop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed June 23, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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